#### COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

### BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

| THE APPLICATION OF THE UNION LIGHT, HEAT | ) |            |
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| AND POWER COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF A      | ) | CASE NO.   |
| NATURAL GAS PURCHASE HEDGING PLAN        | ) | 2003-00151 |
| FOR THE 2003-2004 HEATING SEASON         | ) |            |

# ORDER

On May 1, 2003, The Union Light, Heat and Power Company (ULH&P) filed its report on its 2002-3003 natural gas supply hedging plan and a request for approval to implement a natural gas supply hedging plan for the 2003-2004 heating season. Based on its initial review of the proposed plan, the Commission finds that additional inquiry into ULH&P s hedging proposal is necessary.

## IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. The procedural schedule set forth in Appendix A to this Order shall be followed in this proceeding.
- 2. All interrogatories and requests for production of documents shall be appropriately indexed. Responses shall include the name of the individual responsible for responding to the questions related to the information provided.
- 3. Service of any document or pleading shall be made in accordance with Administrative Regulation 807 KAR 5:001, Section 3(7), and Kentucky Civil Rule 5.02.
- 4. All documents that the Commission requires any party to file with the Commission shall also be served upon all parties of record at or before the time of filing.

5. All parties shall respond to any interrogatories and requests for production of documents that Commission Staff submits in accordance with the procedural schedule set forth in Appendix A.

6. Motions for extensions of time with respect to the schedule herein shall be made in writing and will be granted only upon a showing of good cause.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 7<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2003.

By the Commission

ATTEST:

Executive Director

#### APPENDIX A

# APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2003-00151 DATED MAY 7, 2003

Initial interrogatories to ULH&P shall be filed no later than

.05/15/03

ULH&P s responses to initial interrogatories shall be filed no later than

...05/23/03

An informal conference will be held at 10:30 a.m., Eastern Daylight Time, in the Commission s offices at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky, for the purpose of discussing issues related to ULH&P s 2003-2004 hedging plan

05/30/03

Any party desiring a hearing shall file its request for a hearing or, as an alternative, file written comments, no later than

...06/06/03

Public Hearing, if necessary, for the purpose of cross-examination of witnesses and intervenors

.To be scheduled at a later date